



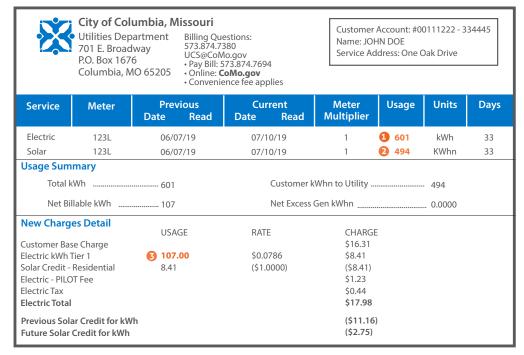
City of Columbia Water & Light net metering bill reflects how much electricity a customer buys from Columbia Water & Light and how much renewable energy a customer's solar installation has supplied to the power grid during a monthly billing period.

Understanding your net metering bill

Below is a sample of Columbia Water & Light's net metering bill and a diagram to help explain the way a renewable installation and our net metering system interact. Line items on the sample energy statement and the diagram are numbered and accompanied by an explanation.

Your net metering bill, by the numbers

- 1 Total kWh: the amount of electricity a customer receives from Columbia Water & Light
- Customer kWhn to Utility: renewable energy supplied to Columbia Water & Light from the customer
- 3 Net Billable kWh: applies when Total kWh is greater than Customer kWhn to Utility (Total kWh minus Customer kWhn to Utility)



Net Excess kWh: applies when Customer kWhn to Utility is greater than Total kWh. (Customer kWhn to Utility minus total kWh) *If the end excess is greater, the customer receives the credit. It is carried over into the next billing cycle.*

Metering Diagram Bidirectional Net Meter: measures how much electricity a customer receives from Columbia Water & Light and how much renewable energy a customer's system

supplies to the power grid.

